

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of Docket No: Q83593  
Noriko ENDOU, et al.  
Appln. No.: 10/510,684 Group Art Unit: 1712  
Confirmation No.: 3894 Examiner: Kuo Liang PENG  
Filed: October 8, 2004  
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING MODIFIED POLYMER, MODIFIED POLYMER  
OBTAINED BY THE PROCESS AND RUBBER COMPOSITION

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 28, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Petition for three-months Extension of Time is being concurrently filed, extending the due date from August 28, 20008 to November 28, 2008. Thus, the response is timely.

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